

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA  
MARICOPA COUNTY

FC 2004-094108

12/22/2004

COMMISSIONER HUGH HEGYI

CLERK OF THE COURT  
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IV-D ATLAS NO. 000629726000  
STATE OF ARIZONA, EX REL, DES  
LINDSAY M MCKINNEY

FILED: 12/29/2004

AND

BENJAMIN ALEXANDER STEELE SR.

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#P006332  
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AG-CHILD SUPPORT-EAST VALLEY  
OFFICE

IV-D HEARING

10:30 a.m. This is the time set for Establishment Hearing in this matter. Petitioner/Mother, Lindsey McKinney, is present on her own behalf. Respondent/Father, Benjamin A. Steele, Sr., is neither present nor represented. The State is represented by Assistant Attorney General, Steven Smith.

A digital audio recording of this proceeding is being made by the "For The Record" recording system in lieu of a court reporter.

Lindsey McKinney is sworn.

Counsel for the State advises the Court that this Court's judicial assistant received a telephone call just prior to today's hearing on behalf of Respondent indicating that Respondent had been sent to the hospital the night prior, however, Respondent's representative did not provide a telephone number or any further information. Husband is currently incarcerated and the State orally requests that a default Judgment and Order be entered this date for establishment of child support.

Based on the matters presented,  
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**IT IS ORDERED** denying Father's request for a continuance through a third party.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** granting the State's request for judgment by default.

The Court's further findings and orders are as contained in the formal written Enforcement Judgment and Order signed by the Court on December 22, 2004, and filed (entered) by the Clerk on December 22, 2004.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** approving and settling formal written Order of Assignment (Current Child Support \$188.00; Arrears \$100.00) signed by the Court this date and filed (entered) by the Clerk this date.

Until the wage assignment becomes effective, it is the responsibility of the party obligated to pay support/maintenance to pay the support to **Support Payment Clearinghouse, P. O. Box 52107, Phoenix, Arizona 85072-2107**. The payment should show the case number and/or ATLAS case number and the name of the party paying support and the name of the party who will receive the payment.

If payments are made directly to the person who is to receive the support, the payments may be considered a gift and no credit will be given towards the support obligation.

Any change in the paying party's employment and any change in the residential address of either party **must** be submitted to the Clerk's Office, in writing, within ten (10) days of the change (A.R.S. 25-322(C)). Failure to notify the Clerk's Office of any change may be considered contempt of Court.

Obligor/Father is personally responsible for the timely payment of support as well as the \$2.25 monthly handling fee. At any time an employer and/or payor is not paying pursuant to the Order of Assignment, Obligor must make timely payment of support and fees directly to the Support Payment Clearinghouse. Failure to make timely payment of support may result in a finding of contempt which may result in sanctions, including incarceration.

10:33 a.m. Matter concludes.

All parties representing themselves must keep the Court updated with address changes. A form may be downloaded at <http://www.superiorcourt.maricopa.gov/ssc/sschome.html>.